

File a Formal Complaint - Victor Epperly

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The Kennewick Public Facilities District has filed with the Benton County Auditor a ballot measure to gain voter approval to levy a 0.2 of 1% sales tax to pay for expansion of the Three Rivers Convention Center. In the March 24, 2016 Meeting Minutes (attached files 1,2,and 3) Corey Pearson, the Executive Director of the Kennewick PFD stated, in Item 3 of New Business, 'what a tremendous job Tyler Borders has done with campaigning with social media sites, radio ads, yard signs and window signs for businesses'. Either directly, or indirectly through its facility operator Venue Works, the Kennewick PFD has been advocating a yes vote on the measure. Attached are copies of the meeting minutes of March 24, 2016, a page of information from <https://www.facebook.com/linktc> (attached file 4), and a copy of the Broadway series announcement on the web page for the Kennewick PFD (Attached file 5) Also on this web page was a link to the <https://www.facebook.com/linktc> facebook page. Please note the contradictory information on the facebook web page. Broadway shows have been coming to the TriCities for a number of years and have been presented at the Toyota Center/Windermere Theater, a venue operated for the City of Kennewick by the Kennewick Public Facilities District. The Kennewick PFD is not only advocating a 'yes' vote, but also disseminating false information. If my assertions are correct, then at the very least the KPFDD should notify the public via each of these social media outlets that they have acted in an illegal manner and have been directed to abstain.